

JOHN W. MACKAY

The Millionaire Waylaid and Shot at San Francisco.

The Assassin Supplements the Deed by Shooting Himself.

W. C. Rippey, an Unsuccessful Speculator
Died of His Wounds—Former
Chief of Police—Mr. Mackay's Wound
Not Serious But Rippey Will Die

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—John W. Mackay, the famous millionaire mining and stock magnate, was shot in the back, shortly after noon Friday, by a man giving the name of W. C. Rippey, and narrowly escaped death. Rippey, after firing one shot at Mackay, shot himself through the left breast, and died.

So far, Mackay's wound is not serious, and there is no danger of a fatal termination. The shooting occurred in the paved court back of the Lick house, which runs from Sutter to Post streets, between Washington and Kearny. A who-hailed man was noted walking around Sutter street, acting very nervously, during the early portion of the morning, throwing his hand back to ward his hip pocket.

It is the custom of John W. Mackay to go to market sometime every day to the jewelry store at the corner of Sutter street and Lick Alley to compare the time of day, and he is always very prompt. As Mackay reached the end of the alley nearest Sutter street, and a few feet away from the Lick house, a man, who had been following him, pulled out his revolver, and fired one shot. The bullet struck Mackay in the middle of the back. After firing the shot he would be murderer supplemented his crime by shooting himself in the head, and a shot in his own body. The self-inflicted wound was serious, but as long as he could walk he followed Mackay up, trying to fire again, but he was so weak he could not pull the trigger. He then threw up his hands, exclaiming: "My God, I am satisfied."

Mackay put his hand behind his back, and some one raised his coat. As he drew his hand out it was covered with blood, and he exclaimed to one of his friends: "I have been taken in the middle of my back." Mackay was placed in a buggy and taken to the Palace hotel, where medical attendance was rendered him. Mackay's assailant was taken to the city receiving hospital.

The man was sent to the receiving hospital in a patrol-wagon. The man was conscious, but could not articulate. The patient was placed on the operating table, when blood was seen to ooze through his clothing, about the upper portion of his body. Further examination revealed that a bullet had entered his left breast, passed through the trunk and come out just below the left shoulder-blade. The bullet was found just under the skin. The patient was apparently about young age, and was wearing a dark-colored waist-beard. In his pants' pocket was found a 48-caliber revolver of the bulldog pattern, and all the cartridges intact. Also in his pocket was a purse containing twenty cents, also a small leather pouch, the paper which was written: "D. E. Linton, La Place Hotel—End not yet." A letter addressed to the Examiner read as follows: "Food for reflection. Paid \$10,000 for a saphire to place on the jade! piece of art. It is a difficult thing to have five hundred of his pieces from a suicidal graver. Just think of it. Inscribe it on his tomb."

W. C. Rippey was born Cincinnati, and leaves a wife and family there. At one time he was worth over \$100,000, and made a good living on Comstock. He came to San Francisco and began gambling in stocks. His money soon began to go, and then he opened a cash grocery store on Fourth street. That venture failed, and about four years ago he became a waiter and dining-room on the steamer Miss Garrett, which plies between San Francisco and Stockton. At one time he lived in Denver, and owned quite a lot of property, but it also went in his stock speculations.

In the presence of his sweethearts,

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 25.—Ermine Vidal, the nine-and-a-half-year-old son of R. J. Vidal, a prominent lawyer here, this city, accidentally shot and killed himself at Edinburg, a village twelve miles from here. He had been spending the evening with a young lady, Miss Williams, and, as he was about to leave, he took a 22-caliber revolver from his pocket and fired it. The gun was it was accidentally discharged and the ball entered his right temple, killing him instantly.

Mohammedans Coming.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Alexander Russell Webb is here. He is the American Mohammedan whom the wealthy Musseimans of India and the east have sent to America to spread the "civilized" Christian of the west. The Mohammedans hope and expect to establish their religion in the United States. The rich Mohammedans of Bombay have guaranteed \$150,000 for the purpose of erecting a mosque in America.

Laid at a Great Depth.

BIRMINGHAM, Miss., Feb. 25.—A most curious phenomenon is bothering the citizens of Morristown in the way of a well. The parties have gone down seventy-two feet and during the whole way down there were indications of frost. Last Thursday the water was left at the bottom and next morning it was frozen to the bottom.

From the Witness Stand.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 25.—Friday in the criminal court Harvey Wayly, on trial for murder, fell dead on the witness stand. When he was asked if he had murdered the victim he said he hoped God would strike him dead if he did. Hardly had he spoken when he fell dead to the bottom.

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FIRST YEAR.

MARYVILLE, KY., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1893.

ONE CENT.

KURRENT KOMMENT'

GATHERED TOGETHER FOR FUTURE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

Opinions as to the Results of the Recent Tidal Wave and Cyclonic Disturbance—"What Will the Harvest Be?"

TARIFF PICTURES.

In 1860, at the close of the Free-trade period, this country had 22,471,278 sheep. In 1893, under the McKinley law, the number of sheep is placed at 47,273,558

—New York Pic.

It is calculated that the Sayer Election bill, just passed by the Alabama Legislature, will disfranchise 50,000 uneducated black voters.

Thomas Jefferson rode to his inaugural on horseback. This is a species of Democratic "simplicity" Grover will necessarily be compelled to omit.

It is noticeable that many of the most blatant opponents to Hawaiian annexation hail from West of the Mississippi. Where those men have been to-day had their prejudices prevailed in the case of the Louisiana and Mexican acquisitions?

It is announced that the turnout which will convey Mr. Cleveland to the coming inaugural ceremonies will be the finest that Washington ever saw. The President-elect should repeat the honor on private and public frugality which he delivered in New York with such unction last fall.

Mrs. THOMAS FARREY has been confined to her home by illness. She is somewhat improved.

JAMES DARLING stole a horse and buggy at Cythiana and was captured at Felicity, O. August officers claim credit for the capture.

RUMMENIGER, THE LEDGER prints "Help Wanted," "Lost," "Found," and similar notices of a business character, free of charge. The only thing we require is that the copy be sent in before 9 o'clock on day of publication.

MRS. ALLIE ALEXANDER, who has been very ill for several days, was with typhoid fever, and has recovered her health sufficiently to be able to go about her room, took a relapse Wednesday, and now lies very low again.

W. B. GAINES, Jr., and Mrs. GAINES of the Phoenix Hotel, Lexington. They were accompanied by a number of friends and the entire party took dinner at the hotel, but left without paying their bill.

MR. CLEVELAND is being urged by certain prominent Democrats to recognize Henry George by apointing him Consul General to Manchester. Others are endeavoring to secure Wayne MacVeagh's appointment as Minister to England.

THE charter presented to the Senate Committee on Municipalities by the representatives of the fourth-class cities as their substitute for the charter drafted by the Revisionary Commission will be favorably reported by the committee.

THE account of the inauguration of the General Assembly of Washington, D. C. March 4th, the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets Mayville to Washington at \$18.90. Tickets on sale February 28th, March 1st, 2nd and train No. 2 of March 3d. Return limit March 9th.

JOHN K. HERRICK has been a clerk of election at Mt. Oliver since 1849, under three state constitutions, almost continuously. His first vote for President was for Polk in 1844. He was a Democrat until the war when he left that party. He has raised six boys, five Republicans and one Prohibitionist.

Mrs. M. D. TOON, the Postmaster at Cythiana, is very much worried lest the article concerning the delayed money orders should be construed to reflect on her. It may be said that neither herself nor the Postoffice at Paris or Cythiana is in any blameable in the affair. Inspector Bearss says that everything had been settled satisfactorily.

H. C. SPARKS, Secretary, J. E. Threlkeld, Treasurer.

EDWARD SPARKS, John Hess, Frank Bennett and James O'Neal were seriously burned at the works of the Ashland Steel Company early Friday morning by the explosion of molten metal. Bennett was partially roasted, the flesh falling in great pieces. He will hardly recover. The others may escape with careful nursing.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going on a trip, please drop us a note in this slot.

A. H. THOMAS leaves to-day on an extended business trip to Portsmouth.

WILSON HILL, who has been in Cincinnati for the past five days on a business trip, returned Thursday night.

Ralph Jones, who has been the pleasant son of the family of John W. Alexander, left this morning for St. Louis instead of Louisville, as stated a few days ago.



BILLVILLE EN ROUTE.

We've got our things in order and our collars stiff as starch, And we're off to cross the border—for ware ready for the Marchion in Je's neat style,

And our mules are goin' to make it in a minute to join the mail.

You bet we'll make it, and we're goin' there to win.

We're movin' on to Washin'ton in Je's neat style,

And our mules are goin' to make it in a minute to join the mail.

You bet we'll make it, and we're goin' there to win.

We'll turn the country over and eat and drink our fill.

And stay six weeks with Grover, If we're goin' to make it.

Atlanta Constitution.

HEALTHY OFFICERS will shortly stir things up at Mt. Olivet.

THE toll-gates on the Falmouth pikes will be removed the first of May.

A STREET improvement campaign is the order of the day at Henderson.

CHARLES WEST, a colored Georgetown wife, is under arrest for besting his wife.

CHARLES DUBROSON, a Covington wife-beater, was fined \$10 and sent to jail for twenty-two days.

THOMAS LEWIS was fined \$15 and costs in the Cincinnati Police Court for selling coal on short weight.

SAFETY-BLOWERS cracked a safe in John Morris' feed store at Ironton and got about \$90 for their trouble.

SMOKE THE "New License," latest and best five cents each in the market, made by W. A. Cole & Co., Third street.

BINS are wanted for the building of an amphitheatre at the Mt. Olivet fairground, to be completed in time for the fall meeting.

A STOCK company with \$60,000 capital, all of which was subscribed at Lexington, has purchased 12,000 acres of land in Florida.

FOR SALE—One hundred acres of class one Mason county land. Apply to C. F. Taylor at B. A. Wallingford, Ky., Mayville.

REV. CORP. COLE, President of the Millersburg Female College will preach at the M. E. Church, South, to-morrow morning and evening at usual hours.

TAX CITY Councilmen of Newport, against whom indictments for bribery were recently returned by the Grand Jury, have decided to give up their official duties until the courts vindicate them of their charges.

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JOHN B. CARY of Middleborough has brought up and Battlington and George Morris of Battlington to H. J. Wilson, Middleborough for about \$8,000, which Cary claims to have advanced for the development of an asphalt mine in Cuba, in which the three were jointly interested.

THE representatives of cities of the fourth class, who are at Frankfort in conference with the Legislative Committee in regard to the forthcoming charters will probably be heard with particular interest in the forward-looking nature of the Kentucky Legislature has a way of constructing measures to suit itself. The protest of constituents and of those in a position to advise receive little or no consideration.

THE Inauguration.

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KENTUCKY WEATHER REPORT.

What We May Expect Between This Time and To-Morrow Evening.

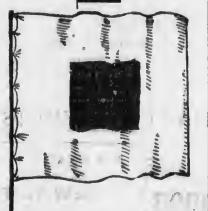
THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

WEATHER—FAIR: BLUE—RAIN OR SNOW WITH BREEZE—CLOUDS GROW.

BLACK—BENEATH—CLOUDS TWO OR THREE.

UNLESS BLACK IS SHOWN—NO CHANGE WE'LL SEE.

BLUE



"The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening."

PAUL COAL at Wormald's Elevators at ten cents per bushel.

PAUL COAL at the Winchester Distillery at Dayton.

HENDERSON people demand cheaper gas and water out of the profits earned by the plants owned by the city.

THE Mayor of Flemingsburg has issued a proclamation calling on the people of that city to clean their premises.

CHILTON CHURCH.

Practicing every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Services—School at 8 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays—School at 9 a.m.; 6:30 p.m. Prayer-meeting Thursday 7:30 p.m. Pastor's residence, 208 Second street.

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YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Meets every Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, 208 Second street.

All men cordially welcome strangers especially.

JAMES CALUFN, the West Second street street-sitter, has had his parlour tastefully fitted up.

HENRY MCKENNA, the well known diller, died at his home at Fairfield in his 77th year.

S. D. ROSE and John Hammond were acquitted at Sitton on the charge of accusation to the murder of S. D. Hall.

HIRIAN STEWART, colored, was fined \$25 and sent to jail for ten days by Mayor Pearce for carrying concealed weapons.

THE Marshall county plague has a variety of colors sufficient to please all tastes. There is the red-spotted, the black-spotted and the blue-spotted is gripe.

GENERAL A. J. VAUGHN has been appointed to command the Tennessee Division of the United Confederate Veterans.

HATTIE BECKER, a 14-year-old girl of Louisville, died from the effects of scalds received by overturning a pot of boiling water.

THE Public Library will be open to-morrow evening from 9 to 4:30 o'clock for the especial benefit of the young of the city.

J. J. KENNARD, William Thompson and W. R. Lloyd were yesterday excused from further attendance as regular jurors in the Circuit Court.

GRANVILLE will not be physically the biggest man in his administration, Post master General Biessell balancing the beam at 300 pounds in Turkish bath costume.

CHARLES E. CARE of Lewis county and Miss Calie George of this county were granted license to wed at the County Clerk's Office yesterday. The marriage will take place in the home of the bride near Recorville at 12 o'clock March 2d.

VREELAND's Minstrels are worthy of more patronage than was extended to them at the Opera-house last night. Some of the jokes had been heard by most of the audience several hundred times before, and the performance altogether was very creditable. The club swing of Newlin deserves mention, and the dancing was above the average.

The stage door.

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Johns on the Reading Capes.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 25.—Every coal company in this city owing the Reading Co. was attached Friday, in a suit commenced against the latter by the Brown Hauling and Conveying Co. The amount in question is \$37,000. The suit is in the U. S. Court of Common Pleas.

WILLIAMSON, Del., Feb. 25.—Peter L. E. Smith, paying teller of the First National bank, who, Thursday, confessed to the defalcation of \$35,000, waived a hearing at the U. S. Court Friday morning and was held under \$30,000 bail.

Daughters of the Revolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Mrs. H. O. Boyd, the present incumbent was re-elected vice-president in charge of organization of the Daughters of the Revolution Friday.

EXCITING ENCOUNTER.

Outrageous Fight, Two Men Who Escaped to Separate Them are Injured by the Birds.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—In a large inclosure which contained a number of African ostriches which are to be shown this year at the World's Fair, two of the full-grown male birds have exhibited much hostility toward each other for the past two or three weeks, but the aged keeper managed to quell in outbreaks of violence.

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GOVERNOR MCKINLEY will have the sympathy of a large number of people in his financial troubles, brought upon him by a friend. MCKINLEY has always had a remarkably fine sense of honor. When the Mills bill was under consideration MCKINLEY was a member of the Ways and Means Committee. He was the only man manufacturers could go to for assistance in preparing schedules for the committee. All of the leading manufacturers in New England and elsewhere had men in Washington looking after their interests. Naturally MCKINLEY was overworked, and his eyes gave out at a critical stage. They learned that he was embarrassed financially and they appointed a committee to wait on him and see if they could not help him in some way. They got the best men that could find a call on him, and insisted on paying the bill, but MCKINLEY would not have it. Then they begged him to permit them to employ a clerk or secretary for him, but he would not consent to that either. If MCKINLEY had wanted to he could have borrowed \$60,000 or \$100,000 from them without putting up a cent's worth of security, but he refused to accept the loan of a dollar. There would have been nothing improper in Governor MCKINLEY's permitting his friends to help him under the circumstances. At least he could have allowed them to pay for a clerk. But they could not help honoring the man for his independence.

The American Bimetallic League is in session in Washington, with General A. J. Warner of Ohio presiding.

Tax gun with which Captain J. K. Edwards was hunting near Easton bursted and tore his left hand and wrist into fragments.

Ex CONGRESSMAN THOMAS TURNER of Mt. Sterling has gone to Washington, and it is said, is an applicant for the position of Recorder of the District of Columbia.

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Presents to This Government Her Protest Against Annexation.

The Native's Only Remained Through Years—Safest Charge Made Against Minister Stevens—The Provisional Government Escaped as Legal.

New York, Feb. 23.—The World publishes the text of the protest on the Hawaiian situation, furnished to the state department by the ex-queen's envoy, Mr. Paul Neumann.

He says: The wishes of the natives as to the separation of the constitution were embodied in the following policy:

1. The restoration of the power of the sovereign to appoint a certain number of the nobles.

2. The diminution of the property qualification of electors.

3. The creation of an elective franchise to Hawaiian citizens, except as to such aliens who had granted to them the franchise by the constitution of 1887.

4. Increase of the salary of the representatives.

5. Reduction of the term of the justices of the supreme court from a life tenure to a tenure for a fixed number of years.

The native population, as well as a great number of foreign tax-exempters on the voter, yielded the power which they could have maintained only because they believe that the movements of the committee of safety is upheld by the authorities of the United States of America. The events which caused this were the following:

1. The landing of the forces of the United States steamship Boston against the remonstrance of the constitutional government.

2. The appearance of the United States marine platoonists, who, in case of a conflict, he would suppose the cause of the usurpers. The landing of the United States troops was a measure entirely unnecessary. Neither an excess of caution nor actual fear can excuse the landing of the American troops in the afternoon.

He adds as subsequent events: The provisional government declared martial law, and armed, among others, the vagrants and criminal element in the population, prescribed free speech and discussion, and established a press corps and established a practical censorship of the newspapers published in English, permitting only such statements as might be favorable to itself to appear, and denied large amounts of public money to the press.

This state of things was only possible by the armed support of the United States troops ashore, and the guns of the United States warship Boston trained on the town.

The power of authority would not have lasted an hour without such armed support and encouragement from the United States.

As a logical sequence to these events the lawless and criminal foreign element, armed by the usurpers and paid to do their bidding, and the native citizens, now displayed a mutinous spirit, and the provisional government was compelled to call upon the American minister to assume a protectorate and dispossess its armed force, which was accomplished February 11.

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FREE COINAGE BILL.

Purchase of Silver Bullion to Create and Hold Metals to Stand as to 1873.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Mr. Harter, of Ohio, introduced in the house Friday a bill to provide for the free coining of silver and gold at the present ratio and upon equal terms.

It provides that after its passage the purchase of silver bullion by the government shall be suspended and that there shall be opened to the coinage of both metals upon the same terms as existed prior to 1873; provided, however, that all silver and gold coined hereafter, for the account of owners, shall not have any legal tender function and shall be treated as "one dollar."

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Washington, Feb. 23.—The minister of war has ordered a number of noncommissioned officers to be placed under arrest, against whom charges of cruelty, treating soldiers have been made. A sergeant was arrested for driving a soldier to suicide, and four noncommissioned officers were sentenced to long terms of imprisonment on account of similar crimes.

Congressional Troubles.

New York, Feb. 23.—The directors of the New York Central and Hudson River Co. held a protracted meeting in the office of the president, Wm. M. Ivans. It was learned afterwards from C. P. Huntington, one of the directors, that the matter of a receivership for the company had been discussed, but that it did not reach any definite conclusion.

Novel Method of Retribution.

Baltimore, Feb. 23.—Nathan D. Polk, a society swell, is locked up in jail charged with swindling prominent physicians, lawyers and other professionals by selling books cheap, and then borrowing the same and then obtaining payment for them at one-half. He never came back. He thus obtained hundreds of dollars on one book.

"MR. HUNT" DYING.

The Famous Forger Has Consumption, and Is Near Death.

New York, Feb. 23.—Peter Chan Hunt, "the man with the couch," captured in this city Thursday, is Stephen C. Broadwell, a man who worked a Cuban bank early in the eighties. He was found with his sister, a bawdy and a rascal, and is reported to be in dying condition, the famous being lame, blind, and the result of disease long ago. Broadwell, when arrested, gave his age as 62, and occupation as a furrier. Broadwell was arrested in New York November 7, 1888, charged with having in his possession counterfeit notes on the bank of Havana.

The arrest was the result of a chase of months by clever detectives. Notes of fifty dollars issued by the Havana bank had been counterfeited so skillfully that the bank officers themselves could not detect them when presented at the bank. They were finally traced to Broadwell, who had been followed to New York. When captured in a Madison Avenue saloon containing 100 persons, representing 100,000 dollars in his possession. So faultlessly was the work executed that the bank withdrew from circulation its entire issue of this particular note. Broadwell tried to induce a Spanish agent to New York to handle the notes forged in the Havana bank. Pretending to agree to this the Spaniard laid the matter before Superintendent Rymer with the result that Broadwell was arrested. Broadwell was tried at the U. S. Court House in New York, in the spring of 1881, and was sentenced to five years in the state prison. He reduced this term to four years by good behavior, but he was at his old tricks as soon as he was released, and the Cincinnati was won by him.

"Hunt" is in a serious condition, and the chances are that even though he has been given a reprieve he will not live to stand trial. He is also wanted in Detroit, but Cincinnati will get him first.

HOW IT MAY SPREAD.

Other Trade Men Do Not Like Working With Non-Union Labor.

Cincinnati, Feb. 23.—A new feature was interjected into the strike of the switchmen of the Chicago & Western Indiana railroad at an early hour Friday morning when a train load of non-union men from St. Louis reached the Dearborn station. The men were put down at once. The first detachment were sent out on a Chicago and Eastern Illinois train. In the station some of the trainmen claim to have recognized among the newcomers men who were with the switchmen in the great strike three years ago. The presence of these men brought out much feeling, and the expressions of many men were bitter in the extreme. The result may be that all orders of railway men may refuse to work conjunction with the non-union men.

Mr. Lovell, Feb. 23.—A diligent inquiry among the switchmen for the purpose of ascertaining if a strike was contemplated here in conjunction with the labor trouble which shows that none of the local switchmen are thinking about the strike, nor have they received any official notification about it.

It is not believed that there will be any trouble here. The St. Louis switchmen have a contract with the railroads and a steady trade with the switchmen across the river. Local switchmen positively say they have no grievance against the roads and are not preparing for a general strike either now or during the world's fair.

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RECTORVILLE.
Mr. Loshens is on the sick list.
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Miss Ella Shaw is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornback paid Maryville a flying visit this week.

Mr. Hornback invested a part of his pecuniary means in the manufacture of hats.

The value of Rectorville is rapidly increasing.

John Clegg is building an addition to his house which is quite an improvement.

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A mild form of bowel complaint, popularly known as "Chudra," has been prevalent recently at Fairgate, Minn., and several other places. No apprehension need be felt from it, as a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy will effect a cure in every case. For sale by Power & Reynolds, druggists.

SPRINGDALE.
Albert Henderson of Paris was here this week.

The families of Joe Frey and Tom Jones are down with measles.

A. R. Roberts of Orchard Farm was calling on friends here early in the week.

Thomas Hodges and wife of Hillsboro visited relatives and friends here this week.

Malaria and diphtheria prevailing in our vicinity induced Miss Wilson to dismiss school for two weeks.

The family of John Otto has had diphtheria, but are recovering under the professional care of Dr. Horst.

Louis Nash of Burlington was here this week correcting erroneous ideas in regard to the age of some of the old settlers.

O. H. Trumbo and wife accommodated their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Logan, to her home in Bowen County, and will not return until summer.

William Dixon, our accommodating stage driver, has the sympathy of everyone in the loss of two of his children, from dread disease, measles and diphtheria.

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John B. Furling is now a resident of Tuckahoe.

The groundhog certainly did know his business.

Preo. Wilson, the merriest man in town, has moved back to the burg.

Tuckahoe is the home of the Hitchcock boys this week. Tuck is a great musician.

Wadson Foster of the farm has moved to the farm of George Coffey near Washington.

The preannouncing still continues to go on at the old St. Anna Church every Wednesday night.

A. Britton gave the young folks a nice little party last Saturday night. Abe is a bachelor, you know.

By the first day of April there won't be enough hay left in this community to make a good beef next.

Emmett Turner will try his luck in Boston Sunday this year. Hope we will raise the big

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